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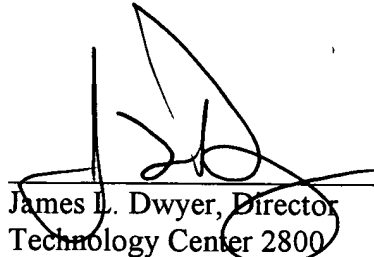
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In re Application of: :
Robert M. R. Neff : DECISION ON PETITION
Serial Number: 10/061504 : TO WITHDRAW THE HOLDING
Filed: 02/01/02 : OF ABANDONMENT
For: Interleaved Clock Signal Generator Having Delay :
Chain and Divider Architecture :

This is a decision on the petition filed on February 02, 2004 requesting the withdrawal of the holding of abandonment under 37 CFR 1.181. The subject application was held abandoned due to Applicant's failure to respond to the Office action mailed April, 07, 2003. The Petitioner's request is based upon Applicant's assertion that said Office action was not received.

The Petition is granted.

The petition has been considered and found to comply with the requirements set forth in section 711.03(C) of the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure. Petitioner's statement of non-receipt and the attached copy of the docketing records are sufficient evidence to establish that Applicant did not receive the last Office action. Therefore, the holding of abandonment is withdrawn. A copy of the last Office action will be sent to Applicant with a shortened statutory period for response set to run three months from the mailing date of said action.


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